



**RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE
GROUP ART UNIT 2122**

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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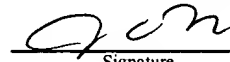
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§ Examiner: Kiss, Eric B.
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**AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION
RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION OF
JUNE 29, 2004**

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Dear Sir:

This paper is submitted in response to the Office Action of June 29, 2004, to further highlight why the application is in condition for allowance.

Please amend the case as listed below.